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SUBJECT: Progress Review Meeting

VISITORS:




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CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL:



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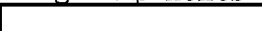
PURPOSE

1. A meeting was requested by  to:
- a. Review the design and status of the seven Briefing Print Enlargers (BPE).
 - b. To confirm tentative authorization (message 9601, 17 Jan 67) to complete fabrication of BPE.

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DISCUSSION

2. Progress Review. Review and discussion of the current status resulted in the following:

a. The contractor was authorized to proceed with the fabrication of all remaining components and assemblies for the seven BPE's being fabricated under 

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b. It was requested that the following comments, on the end use of the equipment, be considered by the contractor:

(1) If possible, provide an Easel Photometer aperture smaller than the currently specified 3mm diameter. The photometer blue-light sensitivity appears to be adequate to allow exposure of Kodabromide paper by using a 1mm aperture and a W98(blue) filter. The contractor will investigate the feasibility of this suggestion.

(2) The Easel Drive, fine positioning, hand-knob control should be knurled rather than smooth.

(3) During a demonstration of the BPE prototype model, the customer noticed that binding was evident during installation and removal of the condenser lens assembly. The contractor pointed out that the mechanical assembly had not been adjusted for good operation at the time of the demonstration. The customer also suggested that the handle on top of the condenser lens assembly is inconveniently located for a short operator.

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3. Tentative Specification 469-333A. The following changes will be made to the specification:

- a. Section 2.8, line 2, delete the word "approximately".
- b. Section 3.2.1, line 2, delete "or USAF 1962".
- c. Section 3.6, add at the end "at 80 inches OAC".
- d. Section 3, PERFORMANCE, add items to:
 - (1) Specify the accuracy of the coordinate measuring system. Tolerance of " $\pm 1\%$ or 1mm, whichever is greater" was suggested.
 - (2) Specify accuracy and precision of the exposure timer.
 - (3) Make a qualitative statement regarding the urgency of avoiding scratches on the negative film.

4. General:

a. Effective 1 Jul 67, [] will replace [] as Contract Monitor [] [] reviewed the development background of this project in a separate meeting with []

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b. The entire group visited the contractor's fabrication assembly facility to observe the nearly completed mechanical assembly of the PAR 243A prototype BPE.

ACTION ITEMS

5. Customer Action - None.

6. Contractor Action:

- a. Begin fabrication and procurement of all remaining parts of the seven BPE's. (Paragraph 2.a.).
- b. Consider customer comments for feasibility and possible incorporation. (Paragraph 2.b.(1) and (2)).
- c. Revise Tentative Specification 469-333A. (Paragraph 3).

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